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TOWN COUNCIL

The average person in attending one of our Council meetings would probably be bored into comatose by driven to Koko Koko, for the average person is not keenly observant or blessed with an imagination which would carry him to flights of fancy far removed from the realities which he witnesses.

A man gifted (or otherwise) with an imagination such as inhabited Jules Verne, Sam Whiting and sundry other famous men, would probably sit and weave romances and all kinds of exciting events round the oratorical scraps which take place at practically every meeting between one of the Councillors and one of the town officials.

Unfortunately the average person (as we said before) is neither imaginative, nor observant enough to behold the wit and wisdom underlying the camouflage of expression, and just naturally as a consequence becomes dumb, almost stupidly bored.

It may have been the fact that the last meeting of the Council was so sparsely attended that each Councillor had to talk enough for two, and even more men which made the audience become so tired of the sound of the same voices, but we have no doubts.

Apart from the above remarks we have no criticism to offer of the meeting.

The minutes were O.K., the communications were read and very much to the point; there was no new business; an undignified discussion, no complaint, and Bill Hargrave was again in order with the motion of the evening.

Secretary Bond made application for a vacation pointing out the fact that during the seven years he had worked for the town he had not received a vacation and kind of felt a desire to feel what it would be like to get out of harness for a short time.

The request was received sympathetically by the Council, and the secretary was instructed to prepare the new assessment roll. As an afterthought this request was granted.

The report of the Engineer regarding the Coal mine operations was very encouraging though criticism as to the supply and demand was offered.

Engineer Brennan's request that he be supplied with glass for windows and lumber for the purpose of making storm doors was granted.

The Mayor reported that the Municipal Hospital had been re-opened as an emergency hospital for influenza patients with Dr. Scott as medical officer and Mrs. McEwen as matron and superintendent, and that an Emergency hospital board comprising E. R. Maurer chairman, A. G. Bond, H. O. Bredin and G. B. R. Bond as secretary, had been appointed.

G. B. R. Bond was appointed Returning Officer for the forthcoming Municipal Elections and the By-law dealing with same was read and finally passed.

The meeting finally adjourned at 10:45 p.m.

and to say that it was a pleasure to work with you and to have that most cordial co-operation in all ways that you gave to the Southern Alberta Executive, and particularly to myself personally, in taking care of the work in your District.

I feel that I would like to ask you to give my thanks to your Secretary and your Committee and your Councillors, all of whom had their share in the splendid end we have achieved.

Yours very truly,
G. B. MARNON
Vice-Chairman

Bassano District Goes Over The Top

The Victory Loan Campaign of 1918 is now history and the receding of this history coupled with the appearance of our crown-laden flag may justifiably be a matter of pride for future Bassanians.

Bassano's subscription to the loan was \$54,900 or nearly three times the amount of its objective. It is not possible to state positively that we appear to have won the distinction of being the town to gain the greatest number of crowns in Alberta.

Thus, once again, has Bassano proved that it is "the best in the west by (more than) a Day's Site."

Honor for this result must be attributed to the energetic band of canvassers who just scored the town from end to end in pursuit of the willing and also the elusive subscribers.

The District also came up to the mark in great style. Gen. Crowfoot, capturing a flag and three crowns; Hargrave, flag and two crowns; Latham, flag and one crown; Wintering Hills, E. flag and two crowns; Majorville, which had been allotted the greatest amount, fell just short of its honor flag, but considering the handicap under which the canvassers were working, they have achieved a great success. Crowfoot also fell short of their objective, but we understand many subscriptions which should have been credited to Crowfoot, have been credited to Calgary's total.

Up to date the total amount for the loan is \$1,000,000, and it is confidently expected that the final total will be well over the \$100,000 mark, and the grand total for the division closely approximately the quarter-million.

The amounts for each district together with the canvassers are as follows: Bassano, \$54,900.00, Mrs. Bredin (capt.), Mrs. Binner, Mrs. A. McKee, Mrs. Murdoch, Mrs. Joe. Wright and A. Mills.

Majorville, \$20,850.00 T. Sutherland (capt.) Ash, and Davis.

Latham, \$2,150.00. Percy Powell.

North Gem, \$800.00. E. P. Currie.

Wintering Hills, East, \$4,550.00. B. H. Bunney (capt.), R. R. Brown and Jack Ogilvie.

Wintering Hills, W. \$1200.00. J. H. Dunlop.

Gen., \$7,050.00. A. L. Fryberger (capt.), J. P. Royer, O. C. King and P. Carpenter.

Husker, \$6,250.00. E. S. Hillery, Crowfoot, \$2150.00. D. J. Guyatt.

The following messages speak for themselves.

Dear Mr. Bredin:

As the close of our campaign I wish to express to you and to your splendid organization of workers my sincere thanks and appreciation of the magnificent work that has been done in the raising of this Victory Loan. I fully appreciate that there have been many serious obstacles in the way but it would hardly be the case as some like the time at the front that obstacles are things to be overcome and have been used as instruments to a greater success.

I can assure you that it has been a great pleasure for me to have had the privilege of being associated with the gentlemen who have so ably brought our Division to such a successful termination. Kindly accept yourself and extend to all your workers my sincere appreciation of your co-operation.

Yours faithfully,
ARCHIBALD McKEE,
Divisional Chairman.

Dear Mr. Bredin:

Before I return to Exhilarated I feel that I must first say to you in a word how greatly I appreciated your generous efforts in making the Victory Loan 1918 the success that it was in your District.

A word with the Women

Have you seen the wonderful little "Vacuum Washer"? It's the greatest little Mother's help you ever saw. It just eats up work on washing days and the price is the most marvellous thing about it. See it, **\$1.50**

A Few Seasonable Suggestions!

This is the season when you have to look after your horses as well as "Lizzie" and yourself

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To all Victory Loan Workers

The Victory Loan Committee wish to express their thanks to all the canvassers and other workers who so ably assisted in the campaign. Their efforts coupled with the untiring assistance of the Bassano Mail helped very materially in bringing such gratifying results which we are justly proud of.

Our objective was set at \$75,000, which looked a very large sum for us to raise in this district on account of existing conditions, but we are pleased to be able to announce that this district has gone over the top \$15,000 or possibly better, returns not being complete at this date we cannot state the exact amount.

The committee feel there is no occasion for special mention of any of the workers as they one and all showed such a grand spirit of co-operation that nothing was left to be desired.

H. O. BREDIN,
Hon. Chairman.

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J. H. Stiles, Bassano, Alta.

The Bassano Mail

The Annual Meeting of the taxpayers of Bassano will offer an excellent opportunity for the leveling of honest criticism and suggestions for the benefit of the town in 1919.

Many excellent criticisms and methods are frequently heard in other places where men congregate, and it is a never-failing mystery, why such critics who are really capable do not bring their criticisms to the one place where they would carry weight.

Honest criticism, however sharp, cannot do harm but must inevitably be of benefit. On the other hand, criticism offered without reason or substance cannot do good, but may possibly do untold harm.

No Council is perfect and we are yet to meet many Councils who consider himself or his department above criticism.

If any taxpayer has complaints or grievances he has always a opportunity for airing the same at the regular Council Meetings but the Annual Meeting is the first meeting of the year when a free discussion of everything pertaining to the town is permitted.

Every man should make it his duty to attend this meeting, whether he has criticisms to offer or not, for surely every man is vitally concerned in the conduct of town affairs.

The meeting will be held on Monday at the Town Hall, and we trust the citizens will make it point of duty to attend.

Bassano is now at the stage where it needs the very best brains in the community to guide it through the financial pitfalls which are strewn about the path of 1919.

We need to-day, perhaps more than ever, sane, well-balanced and unreservedly progressive men for Council and School alike, and we appeal to the local patriotism of Bassano's citizens to come forward and support the town through this period of stress and trial.

The elections of the last few years have been deplorable by the lack of interest taken in the proper election of candidates for the different municipal offices.

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Anglican Church Reopens on Sunday

Service will be held in the Anglican Church on Sunday next at 7.30 a.m.

Billy Sunday on Victory Loan

Canada's Victory was almost won in a single day. We have the cash, it is all in our hands, the tide is turned.

There are only two things to this dilemma—you are either a patriot or a traitor.

The men on the firing line and on the battlefields have turned back the tide, the mud, the rain, the cold, and the enemy is ready to give their lives for their country, but we, the men at home, remain idle.

We are unworthy to be their protectors. We do not do our utmost to sustain them.

We must become more determined in this war. We are traitors to the cause for which they are giving their lives. We do the things that make their efforts harder.

Life is not worth living unless there is something to live for. Life would not be worth living if these boys of Heroes could win this is why they sacrifice.

This is why we cannot lose. A handful of men could not have won the battles of the world of 1918. The enemy and his allies are deep enough in debt to the thousands of men, thousands of men, thousands of men.

Our boys have gone over to fight in that hot battle of Huns and it is our duty to supply them with whatever they need to finish the job. It takes money to keep the livers running, the weapons, the machine guns, the tanks, the trucks, the airplanes, the ships, the submarines, the battleships, the aircraft carriers, the destroyers, the cruisers, the frigates, the minesweepers, the icebreakers, the hospital ships, the transport ships, the oil tankers, the cargo ships, the passenger ships, the fishing boats, the lumber boats, the coal boats, the grain boats, the sugar boats, the cotton boats, the wool boats, the silk boats, the fur boats, the tea boats, the coffee boats, the spice boats, the fruit boats, the vegetable boats, the flower boats, the seed boats, the medicine boats, the food boats, the clothing boats, the shelter boats, the weapons boats, the ammunition boats, the fuel boats, the water boats, the air boats, the land boats, the sea boats, the sky boats, the earth boats, the fire boats, the wind boats, the rain boats, the sun boats, the moon boats, the stars boats, the planets boats, the galaxies boats, the universe boats, the everything boats.

Our boys will soon hang upon the tower of the Victory Loan and the funds will flow. "The Maple Leaf Forever" along the hills.

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Our vocabulary contains no words adequate to express our appreciation of the sacrifices of our boys since we cannot say "God bless them." We are in a top of the grand, we are rich under the ground, and our rivers creep like silver serpents to the sea, bearing our products.

The children of England, France, Italy and Belgium are hanging over our heads and they are using our money to buy their weapons.

We are in this scrap to the last dollar, the last grain of wheat, the last day.

We will never give up until Germany lies in a dirty blood-stained rag to the Union Jack.

It is a waste of a job we are tackled, but we can and must pay it over. But you must help.

Don't whine. Don't knock. You can't say good with a hammer. Don't get the base on the fire, add fuel.

Buy Bonds! Buy Bonds!



Department of Municipal Affairs
Office of Court for Confirmation of Returns of Unpaid Taxes

Notice is hereby given that the Auditor of the District Court has deposited the 1918 day of November 1918 at 10 o'clock a.m. for the holding of a Court at the Court House in the Town of Bassano for the confirmation of the returns of Unpaid Taxes made under the provisions of section 90 of the Municipalities Act, R.S.A. 1915.

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Pte. G. H. Travis Gives Interesting Account of Camp Life in England.

During the past week the "Mail" has received the following letter from Ex-Mayor Travis, which though the war is over will be sure to be read with interest by his many friends and acquaintances.

We would draw particular attention to the paragraph dealing with short rations of sugar and all sweet goods and leave the moral of it to our readers.

Dear Mr. Allen,
I have intended writing to thank you for kindness in sending me "The Mail" but I got very busy, but that is of course no fault of yours.

It is unnecessary to say that a man greatly appreciates the paper from his home town, every line I read with interest and pleasure.

I am very glad to note that Bassano is still going strong. I have always had the greatest confidence in its future prospects. We are, however, going through terrible times and it is up to every person to put in his or her shoulder to the wheel in order to make this a great success story.

The film has been badly beaten, but it is still bulldozed enough to make further sacrifice of men which means that many more of our boys will give their lives in the great cause of freedom.

The boys are all cheerful and when trained are great fighters as the Hun knows to his cost.

I expect to qualify as a signaller two weeks from Thursday when I will have my final exam. I then expect to be sent over to France without I am given an additional course in wireless.

We are taking the Semaphore now it is extra (but that's easy).

This whole area has been quarantined for some time, but we expect to be free again this week. We are at present living in tents. "Food Rations" are pretty good, but of course, no nice such things as milk, sugar, candy and cake, but guess we can manage without. We get plenty of smokes I am glad to say.

The summer was simply grand, but the weather during the past few weeks has been fierce. Rain, rain and more rain.

However, it looks more than rain to the Canadian spirit of the Canadian.

Again thanking you for the Mail, I wish you every success and happiness.

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Since Robert Stead wrote his famous poem on the death of Kitchener all who profess to be interested in current literature have been more or less conversant with his work. His collection, "Kitchener and Other Poems," published last fall, was a best seller, and it is no wonder that the English edition is reported to have been a big success in Great Britain. His previous novel, "The Homesteaders," has been so continuously sold out on the Canadian market that a new edition has just been issued in Canada.

"The Cow Patcher," promises to add a reputation already well established. It is not merely a novel; it is an event in the literary life of this country. Dr. A. T. Allison, professor of English, and well known litterateur, declares that it is the biggest thing in a literary way that ever came out of the prairie country. It is a very pleasant reading, and there is a unique vein of humor and philosophy which has earned for it to be called the David Harum of Canada. But "The Cow Patcher" is by no means literary pastime. Its tone is in keeping with the serious business of the times, and in its closing chapters it rises to a patriotic level not excelled by any present writer.

It is not our purpose here to outline the plot of "The Cow Patcher," you will enjoy it more to read it in the author's own words. The book is published in Canada by the Munson Book House of Toronto, and in the United States by Harper & Brothers. It is attractively illustrated by Arthur Fleming, one of Canada's most successful artists.

Live Stock Conference

To formulate national plans for meeting the new and critical conditions in the live stock industry, accompanying the formation of a new and representative live stock men and representative meat packers are being called to a conference by H. H. T. A. Cress, Minister of Agriculture. Those who have been watching the situation realize that Canada has the opportunity of placing her live stock industry on a broader and a sounder basis than ever before. The war has stimulated live stock production in Canada. An even greater stimulus is expected to develop with the restoration of normal commercial communication, as the breeding stock of Europe has seriously declined during the war, in nearly all countries. A heavy demand is bound to be made upon this continent for meats and breeding stock for some years to come.

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On Monday November 11th a black and white dog, about 1 year old, was lost from the house of Mr. J. H. MORTENSON, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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Notice of Court for Confirmation

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Local and Personal.

J. H. Breger of the De Do Farm
Cropfoot, was in town this week.

Miss Simpson of Calgary is visit-
ing her sister, Mrs. Potter this
week.

Jack Torgan has had the Gem
Theatre, painted and cycloramed,
throughout in readiness for the re-
opening this week.

Mrs. McClellan returned from her
sojourn at Indian Head on Sunday
last, much to the obvious delight of
Mae.

The necessities of the epidemic
have made more community
workers in Bassano than a dozen
Chautauques could ever create.

All enquiries regarding the prob-
ability of a General Election in
1919, should be addressed to Hon.
A. or Sir C. Sifton.

The town has been lifted from
Churches, Theatres, Pool Rooms,
Stores, and Public Meetings, but
remains upon the Public School and
Sunday Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Mavor both of
whom were stricken with the
epidemic influenza while in Calgary
returned to Bassano on Saturday,
J. S. telegraphed his return to health,
straining his wrist on Sunday
morning.

Rev. T. S. and Mrs. Paton arrived
in Bassano from their marriage
tours on Thursday, and, we under-
stand, will take up their residence
shortly in N. T. Davis' house on
Athabasca.

Returned Veteran Lieut. Potter
accomplished some valuable work
for the Victory Loan at Hunsay and
Duchess last week. His persuasive
methods, we are sure, were strictly
according to Hoyle, but he had an
ace or two up his sleeve in case of
necessity.

The preliminary arrangements
for the formation of the Municipal
Hospital District have all been com-
pleted. The temporary board of
directors will shortly be appointed
and their plans submitted to the
Minister for approval. After which
the entire scheme will be submitted
to the people for their acceptance.

M. R. Milroy and J. C. Weaver
left on Monday for the Rockies,
where they anticipate meeting with
a few grizzlies, mountain lions,
squirrels. It is to be hoped that
they do not run across a blind pig,
for we understand these critics are
somewhat dangerous just now.

We would draw our readers' at-
tention to the notice of Robert J.
C. Stead's latest novel, "The Cow
Parade," which appears on our
outside page. Mr. Stead is a writer
who reproduces the living spirit of
the West in its widest aspects, and
all of his works are refreshingly
typical of the human elements
which have given the West the pre-
fix "Wild" and also "The Last
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The public is earnestly advised to
take all precaution against wet or
chills, as the medical profession is
dreading the consequences of the
recent epidemic, and anticipate that
a large number of serious illnesses
will follow any careless or unne-
cessary exposures to cold or damp dur-
ing the coming winter.

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assistance during the sickness and
death of our dear husband and
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